GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

Public Services - Roads & Buildings Department - Disciplinary proceedings initiated against Sri P.N. Kishore Babu, Assistant Executive Engineer, (R&B) for the irregularities in execution of road widening works in the town limits of Gudivada and Vuyyur - Further action dropped -Orders - Issued.

TRANSPORT, ROADS & BUILDINGS (VIG.I) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 997.

Dated:21.10.2011. Read the following:-

- 1) Memo. No. 8659/S.I.1/99-4, dt. 30.08.1999 of the Engineer-In-Chief, Admn., Hyderabad.
- G.O.Rt.No.1278, T,R&B (Vig.I) Department, dt.21.11.2003.
 Orders dated 27.11.2007 of APAT in OA No.8244/2003 filed by Sri P.N. Kishore Babu, Assistant Executive Engineer, (R&B).
- 4) G.O.Rt.No.927, T,R&B (Vig.I) Department, dt.16.06.2008. 5) G.O.Rt.No.1650, T,R&B (Vig.I) Department, dt.10.11.2008.
- 6) From the Commissioner of Inquiries, D.O. letter No. 2109/COI-SB/2008, dt. 4.12.2010.
- 7) Govt. Memo.No. 218/Vig.I.(1)/2004-14, dt. 16.06.2011. 8) Representation dt. 19.07.2011of Sri P.N. Kishore Babu, Deputy Executive Engineer, (R&B).

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ORDER:-

Orders were issued imposing a punishment of stoppage of two increments with cumulative effect, for the irregularities in execution of road widening works in the town limits of Gudivada and Vuyyur against Sri P.N.Kishore Babu, Assistant Executive Engineer, (R&B), vide reference second read above.

- Aggrieved by the above said orders, Sri P.N.Kishore Babu, Assistant Executive Engineer, (R&B), filed OA No.8244/2003 before the Andhra Pradesh Administrative Tribunal. The Hon'ble Andhra Pradesh Administrative Tribunal while allowing the O.A., in its orders 3rd read above, set aside the Enquiry Officer's report, in so far as the applicant is concerned, where under, the applicant was found guilty, for the charges (2) and (3) and also set aside G.O.Rt.No.1278, T,R&B (Vig.I) Department, dt.21.11.2003, where under the penalty of stoppage of two increments with cumulative effect was imposed against the applicant. The Hon'ble Andhra Pradesh Administrative Tribunal also made it clear that however, this does not prevent the disciplinary authority to reentrust the matter to the appropriate authority for conducting fresh enquiry.
- Government, after careful consideration of the matter, have implemented the orders of the Hon'ble Andhra Pradesh Administrative OA No. 8244/2003 dt.27.11.2007, in respect Sri P.N.Kishore Babu, Assistant Executive Engineer, (R&B), and rescinded the orders issued in the G.O.Rt.No.1278, T,R&B (Vig.I) Department, G.O.Rt.No.927, T,R&B vide (Vig.I) Department, dt.16.06.2008, so as to enable to entrust the matter to Commissioner of Inquires to conduct detailed enquiry afresh.
- In the reference 5th read above, orders were issued appointing an 4) Inquiring Authority to conduct detailed enquiry afresh against Sri P.N. Kishore Babu, Assistant Executive Engineer, (R&B), for the irregularities in execution of road widening works in the town limits of Gudivada and Vuyyur.

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- 5) In the reference 6th read above, the Inquiry Officer submitted his report holding that the charges against Sri P.N.Kishore Babu, Assistant Executive Engineer, (R&B), are not proved. In the reference 7th read above, a copy of Enquiry Officer's Report was communicated to the charged officer with disagreement factor, that the excavated earth in road widening work was the property of the Government and therefore needed to be accounted for.
- 6) The Charged Officer submitted his explanation in the reference 8th read above, stating that the agreement did not provide as to where the excavated earth in the road widening work should have been dumped.
- 7) Government, after careful consideration of the matter, have decide, and, hereby drop further action against Sri P.N. Kishore Babu, the then Assistant Executive Engineer, (R&B) now Deputy Executive Engineer, (R&B), Soil Testing Cell, Vijayawada.
- 8) The Engineer-in-Chief (R&B), Administration shall take necessary action in the matter accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNER OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

S.P. SINGH PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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Sri P.N.Kishore Babu, Deputy Executive Engineer, (R&B), Soil Testing Cell, Vijayawada. (Through the Engineer-in-Chief (R&B), Administration & N.H., Hyderabad.)

The Engineer-in-Chief (R&B), Administration & N.H., Hyderabad.

The Secretary to VC, Andhra Pradesh Vigilance Commission, Hyderabad. Sf/Sc.

//FORWARDED BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER